

January Meeting Minutes of Oahe A.B.A.T.E. Chapter
January 14, 2012 ~ Kozmedics Custom Cycles

President Brandon Butler called the meeting to order at 6:44 p.m. with six officers and nine members in attendance. The Treasurer's Report was given by Treasurer Steve Schwellenbach and accepted. Membership Secretary Jolene Juneau reported there are 64 current members. Three members renewed. New members in December are Derek and Julia Diedrich. Welcome new members! Minutes of the last meeting were accepted.

Old Business:

- State Rep. Joe Kelly reported on Legislative Days that will be held on Jan. 19-21, 2012. A sponsor will provide meat and cheese trays for the Thursday evening Meet & Greet which begins at 7 p.m. on Thursday, January 19 at the Legion Cabin. Set up begins at 7 a.m. on Friday, January 20 at the Capitol. A tour of the National Guard Museum will be at 10:30. River City Transit will provide transportation to the museum and to the Legion Cabin for lunch and back to the Capital at 1 p.m. Joe has secured sponsorship from Peterson Motors and Kozmedics Custom Cycles to help pay for transportation. There will be a Social Hour at 5 p.m. at the Legion Cabin followed by a banquet and entertainment by Trooper DJ, Huron, SD. The Food Committee consisting of Brandon Butler, Kip Eickhoff and Steve Schwellenbach have determined the menu and caterers have been lined up for the Friday banquet. Saturday, January 21 there will be breakfast and a Board of Directors meeting.
- Heartland STEAM will be held March 23-25 in Omaha, NE. Brandon & Lori Butler are planning on going and Marcia Kaup indicated she would like to attend.

New officers began their duties:

Vice President: Shelley Schaefer
Treasurer: Steve Schwellenbach
Secretary: Marcia Kaup
Membership Secretary: Jolene Juneau
Event Coordinator: Kevin Schaefer
Road Captain: Monty McNaught
Sergeant of Arms: Kip Eickhoff

New Business:

- St. Patrick's Day Parade. More discussion at the February Meeting. Kip Eickhoff reported that he has the flags.
- There will be a \$300 scholarship available for a Stanley County or Riggs High School graduate. A committee will be put together to review and choose the recipient.
- Next meeting will be held Saturday, February 11, 2012 at Mowers & More. A potluck will follow the meeting.

A motion was made by Lori Butler, seconded by Kevin Schaefer to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:01 p.m. Koz won \$23 in the 50/50 drawing. Derek Diedrich was drawn for the SOL (\$23) but was SOL because he was not in attendance.

Marcia Kaup, Oahe A.B.A.T.E. Secretary